(c) whether there is enforcement clause in the contract; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI O. RAJAGOPAL): (a) IRCON International Ltd. (IRCON) has not entered into any contract to lay double railway line in Malaysia. However, a Letter of intent has been issued to IRCON for the works of double tracking of Railway line between Ipoh Padang Besar. Formal agreement incorporating various provisions of the contract has not yet been signed.

(b) Completion period is likely to be 5 years. Total route length for the work is 340 km. Electrification is not in the scope of work of IRCON.

(c) and (d) Do not arise in view of (a) above.

Trains during summer vacations

† 4044, PROF. R.B.S. VARMA: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government propose to increase the number of trains or to run more trains in the country during the summer vacations;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) what other special arrangements "for trains is being made for the convenience of passengers?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI O. RAJAGOPAL): (a) and (b) It is proposed to run about 3240 Summer Special Trains during Summer 2002. The All India Summer Specials Time Table indicating the details of the trains has been published and released in February 2002

(c) In addition to the special trains, the existing trains are also being augmented where operationally feasible to cater to the extra rush during summer vacations.

More facilities in trains

† 4045. SHRI BACHANI LEKHRAJ: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

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† Original notice of the question was received in Hindi,